Annual Dues Agreement for 2020-21 School Year
Cub Scout Pack 467 – ALL Scouts

Cub Scout Pack 467 is a strong, active pack with great traditions and a bright future. Scouts and families have "fun with a purpose," participating in activities built around Cub Scouting's core values. Among these values are **Cooperation, Resourcefulness** and **Responsibility.**

Our parent organization, the Boy Scouts of America (BSA), and Connecticut Rivers Council locally receive money from a number of sources, including 100% of annual registration fees, subscriptions to *Boys Life*, uniform purchases, camp fees and award recognition materials (patches, belt loops and such). BSA uses those funds to continue the Scouting program, maintain and staff camps, leader training, etc.; these are all great for Scouting, and are worthy purposes for the funds they receive.

However, Cub Scout Pack 467's programs are funded **entirely** by fundraising, annual dues, and parent contributions. All leaders are unpaid volunteer parents/family members, and the leadership scrutinizes every expenditure closely to ensure our money is spent wisely; however, each year Pack 467 requires more than $5000 (depending on the number of Scouts in the Pack) to provide meetings, activities, supplies, awards, prizes, parties and events for all Scouts and their families – this is approximately $40 per Scout in our Pack, NOT including the registration fees paid to BSA and CAC annually.

For this to all be possible, for the financial health of the Pack, and in fairness to every Scout and their family, **we require every Scout (through their family) provide payment of annual dues to the Pack in the amount of $40.00 PLUS the *current rate for BSA annual membership fees PLUS the current annual Crossroads of America Council's Program Fee*,which would currently total $160.00 per Scout, as of 08/27/2020.**

Annual dues for Scouts may be covered using any one (or combination) of the following methods, including:

- total Popcorn Sales providing final commissions of $160.00; or
- other fundraising opportunities, with sales generating commissions of $160.00; or
- a cash or check payment to Pack 467 in the amount of $160.00 (credit cards will be subject to a 3% convenience fee, for a total of $164.80) prior to November 15, 2020; or
- monthly payments of $25.00 per Scout payable on the 15th of each month September 2020 through April 2021, plus an additional $90 membership renewal fee payable before November 15, 2020.
- any combination of the above four options.

Again, Pack 467's annual dues per Scout are projected to be $160.00 for the 2020-2021 School Year. The Pack appreciates your commitment to supporting our cause of providing the best possible experience for all our Scouts.

I, _____ (print parent/adult partner name), promise that our family will cover our annual Pack dues of $160.00 for the 2020-2021 school year, pursuant to this Annual Dues Agreement. We further agree to pay any fees or collection costs to Pack 467 if this agreement is not met.

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Scout(s) Name(s) *Parent/Guardian Name*

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Parent / Adult Partner Signature *Date*

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Address *City* *State* *Zip Code*